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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

FHA Financing At A Standstill In Pahokee

FHA financed subdivisions in the Pahokee area probably are at a complete standstill. Why? The federal organization says it won't furnish money to build houses unless a sewerage system is installed in the City of Pahokee.

At Monday night's meeting of the Pahokee City Council, Mayor Duncan Padgett brought the sad news from the FHA financing unit. The mayor pointed out that he had been advised that no more financing will be available unless and until the sewerage system is installed.

At the Monday night meeting the City Council adopted a resolution advising the Federal Housing Authority what the City is doing in regard to sewerage.

Included in the resolution, Mayor said, was a report that land for a treatment plant will be granted to the city from the state. Negotiations are in the final stages, he said.

The mayor added that the city told the FHA that an active sewer committee is at work to get the sewer program started as soon as feasible.

At present, he said, FHA just has "a few spot loans" in the city.

Mayor Padgett will head a committee named Monday night by the City Council to cooperate with the Federal Housing Administration in preparing a sewage disposal plan for the city.

Other members of the committee include Councilman Hugo Boe, and J. W. Brown, Wiley Tillis and Inman W. Weeks.

The council will sit as a board on equalization in the council chambers Sept. 11 starting at 7:30 p. m.

The Civil Defense is to make a survey here shortly to designate buildings in the community best suited for emergency use as fallout shelters.

Pahokee Schools Set For New Term

Brooks Henderson, principal, said yesterday that Pahokee Schools are ready for opening of the new fall term next Tuesday morning. More than 20 new students were registered on Thursday of this week, he said.

There will be two new teachers, Mr. Henderson said. One is William S. Hobson, who will teach social studies and act as an assistant to Coach Web Fell. Mrs. Louise Norman is the other new teacher and she will teach English, Art and Home Economics.

Bill Howard is the new principal of Pahokee elementary school, succeeding H. H. Austin, who resigned last spring. Mr. Howard through the years has been basketball coach and is to be succeeded by Robert Maxson.

Last Rites Held For S. W. Carver

Funeral services for Sampson Warren Carver, 67, of 2560 East Main Street, Pahokee, who died at his home Sunday afternoon after an extended illness, were held at 10 a. m., Wednesday at the Church of God on Barfield Highway with Rev. John W. Hughes, pastor, officiating.

Mr. Carver was born in Lafayette County and came to the Glades in 1912. He was a veteran of World War I and a retired commercial fisherman. He was well known as a pioneer resident of this community.

Survivors include his widow, Leola, Pahokee; three daughters, Mrs. Doris Duncan, Pahokee; Mrs. Pearl Hendrix, Lake Worth; Mrs. Frances Atwater, Alaska; one brother, Louis Carver, Palmetto; two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Mitchell, Okechobee and Mrs. Carney Boatwright, Lantana, five grandchildren and one great grandson.

Palbearers were J. D. Watson, Olaf Boe, Mac Barfield, and J. Lee Suggs.

Burial was at Port Mayaca Cemetery with William Wetherington Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

1817 Teachers Are Ready For School

Palm Beach County's 1,817 public school teachers are braced for enrollment Thursday morning of an estimated 20,000 or more pupils.

All students are scheduled to enroll at their respective schools from 8:30 a. m. to 12 noon Thursday. Classes will start Tuesday—the day after Labor Day.

The county's 1,343 white teachers and 469 Negro teachers are to be in their classrooms Thursday in 80 schools in the county, one more than at the opening of school in 1960. That one is Westward Junior High School in West Palm Beach.

On the first day of school last year there were 34,526 pupils, the number increasing to 39,875 by the end of the first school month. If the average of the past continues, some 50 per cent will register on the opening day. Average membership for the first month last year was 39,456.

Quite a few children apparently are "allergic" to registering for the opening day and are expected to do so later in the month.

Enrollments during the 1960-61 school year totaled 45,084, with the average membership totaling 41,335.

Mrs. Seth Roberts of Pahokee left Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary McArthur in Slocum, Alabama.

Four Score And Nine



MARION F. GEORGE

Marion F. George Pioneer Passes

The passing of Marion Francis George, 89, of Canal Point, due to a heart attack on August 27 at his home, brought sadness to his many friends of all ages on the eastern and western shores of Lake Okechobee.

Mr. George was born April 29, 1872, in Independence, Missouri, and spent his boyhood there attending the local schools. He moved to Moore Haven in 1915, where he was active in the building trade and continued in this profession when he moved to Canal Point in 1929. The Canal Point Baptist Church is one of the many buildings he constructed before his retirement. He was a member of Central Point Baptist Church and the Everglades Masonic Lodge 211 in Pahokee.

Survivors include his widow, Beulah, Canal Point; two sons, Robert J. and Frank M., both of Houston, Texas; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at 3 p. m. in the Canal Point Baptist Church with Rev. Charles D. Stewart, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Robert Shelley, pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church, and Rev. Samuel Jordan, pastor of Hialeah Baptist Church.

Palbearers were J. H. Bordeaux, Grady Boynton, Ray Hawk, Sr., O. H. Sheppard, Homer Barnes, and M. D. Geiger.

Graveside services were conducted at the Port Mayaca Cemetery by Everglades Masonic Lodge 211. Williams - Wetherington Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements.

Baptist Building Going On Schedule

The new building at the Canal Point Baptist Church is well on the way up. All the outside walls have been completed. If weather conditions permit, most likely the roof will be ready to be completed early next week. As soon as the roof is completed, plans are for the beginning of landscaping the yard in front of the new building.

Are You A Registered Voter In Palm Beach County? Maybe!

Funeral Services For Carl Thompson

Funeral services for Carl E. Thompson, 47, who died suddenly Sunday, were held Wednesday morning at the Mizell-Faville-Zern Funeral Home in West Palm Beach. Rev. Guthrie Colvard, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Pahokee, officiated. West Palm Beach Northwood Masonic Lodge participated in the funeral ceremony.

Mr. Thompson died suddenly from a heart attack. He was principal of West Gate Elementary School located north of Four Points in West Palm Beach. He had held that position for 15 years.

Graveside services were held at Port Mayaca cemetery at 2 p. m. Wednesday with Rev. Colvard in charge. The deceased was well and favorably known in the Lake Okechobee Region where he has a brother surviving, Joe E. Thompson of Pahokee.

He was a member of Northwood Lodge 303, F&AM; Lake Worth Consistory; Palm Beach Principal's Association; Florida Cattlemen's Association; National Education Association and the Florida Education Association.

He is survived by one son, Kenneth Dale Thompson and one daughter, Mrs. Brenda Sue Chapell, both of West Palm Beach; three brothers, Joseph E., Pahokee; Randolph and Comer, both of Staten Island, N. Y.; four sisters, Mrs. Sadie Wimberly, Mrs. Esther Bumpers, both of Carlton, Ala.; Mrs. Linnie Baxter, Pahokee; Mrs. Madeline Stalder, Oswego, N. Y.

Active palbearers were Charles Godwin, Frank Hobson, Robert Fulton, Clyde Canipe, Brooks Henderson and Pellon Morris.

Among honorary palbearers were members of the Palm Beach County education staffs.

Canal Point School Ready For Opening

The Canal Point Elementary School opened its doors Thursday Morning for registration of the students for the new 1961-62 year. Regular classroom sessions will start Tuesday September 5. Those students requiring bus transportation will be advised as to the time and place, by their teachers, according to principal W. W. White.

The school's teaching staff includes Mrs. Alma Burr, first grade; Mrs. Helen Henderson, second; Mrs. Ruth Stewart, third; Mrs. Billie Huddle, fourth; Mrs. Charlotte Walston, fifth; Mrs. Mildred Larriek, sixth; Mrs. Gladys Harrington, seventh; James Threlkeld, eighth grade and coach. Mrs. Ruth Snyder, part time music teacher and Herbert Miller, school custodian. Principal, W. W. White.

If you haven't voted in the county elections within the past two years, your name may be dropped from the voting list, according to Dan Gorham, supervisor of registration. This week nearly 10,000 names were dropped from the voting list by Mr. Gorham.

From the record 101,344 registered voters recorded in a pre-election tally last October, the total nosedived to 90,730 with the wind-up of the purge.

"And there'll likely be more," Gorham predicted, "when the precinct revisions are completed and all voters contacted."

"This purge was just of those who have not voted in the last two years."

"The revisions will turn up many more — I won't attempt to predict the number — who have died or moved within the past two years."

Democrats were the big loser in the now-completed purge, dropping 8,702 of the 77,495 registered voters they boasted last fall.

The 11.23 per cent cut in their tally leaves them with 68,793.

The Republicans, who went into the purge with 22,729 registered voters, wound up with 20,783, a drop of 1,946 or nine per cent.

Aid Is Sought In Shelter Program

The city of Belle Glade has asked the county commission to support its plan for construction of public fall out shelters in the levee around Lake Okechobee.

The city said it is unable to construct basement type shelters since the water tables in the Glades are about two feet beneath the surface. Use of the levee embankment to support concrete shelters, will not weaken the levee, the city pointed out.

The commission referred the letter to Col. Ellis Altman, county civil defense director, for study and report.

In other actions this week the commission:

Approved the appointment of Daniel Shea as special investigator for the state attorney's office at an annual salary of \$7,000.

Voted \$500 annual pay raise to three assistant county solicitors.

Took under advisement a request from the Lake Worth Colt Baseball League for county aid in building a league ball park.

Renewed an agreement with W. C. Goss to act for another year as the county's financial advisor.

Called attention to one courthouse being closed next Monday in observance of Labor Day.

Miss Mary Ann and Ray Ford daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ford of Canal Point returned home Sunday from a two weeks stay at Camp Kulagua near High Springs. The first week was spent at the camp and the second week they participated in a canoe trip down the Suwannee River.



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Here Is What Transpired At Monday's Meeting Of The Palm Beach County Commission

A five year study for establishment of a bulkhead line on the inland waterway side of Jupiter Island was culminated this week when the county commission officially adopted a proposed line.

The area falling within the boundaries of the new line starts at the intra-coastal waterway bridge on State Road 707 and extends north to the Martin County line.

Property owners in the area have given strong support for establishment of the bulkhead line and have assured the county commission that right of way for a new road on the waterway side of the island will be given to the county without cost.

Following adoption of a resolution

setting the bulkhead line, the commission followed with another action authorizing the engineering department to initiate action as soon as possible to establish a centerline for the proposed new road and to acquire right of way deeds necessary to complete the project.

In another action this week, concerning the inland waterway, the commission gave the Florida Inland Navigation District permission to use a plot of submerged land near Phil Foster Memorial Park as a temporary spoil area for a waterway dredging project. The submerged land was recently turned over to the county by the State II Board.

The Farm Front



Because I'm a farmer myself, I'm inclined to be concerned at times about statistics that indicate farmers are getting less and less of a share of the consumer's food dollars.

What's the reason for such a trend? Step into any big supermarket and you'll see why the farmer's share of the current food dollar is less than it was for the same foods 30, 20 and even 10 years ago.

Look at one of the "TV dinners" ready to be heated in the oven and served in a jiffy. In proportion to the price of the heat-and-serve meal, the farmer's income from the items in that meal is highly small. Largest part of the cost represents processing, packaging and distribution.

Greater convenience, less work and increasing variety are the advantages being offered to the housewife in today's food markets. The housewife demands these. She calls the signals and the food industry knows it must play by her rules.

To be successful today, Florida's agricultural producers must keep abreast of every new development and trend in the retail field for their product. Then they must adjust their production to take every advantage of those trends if they expect to maintain their incomes at a profitable level.

That's why I believe the State Department of Agriculture can be greater service to farmers by increasing its distribution of market information. The Department's assistance with reliable, authentic, periodic information on prices, supplies, trends and forecasts should reach every agricultural producer in Florida.

This Will Tell You When Get License

TALLAHASSEE—Drivers have been reminded by Motor Vehicle Commissioner Arch Livingston of the state's new driver's license law which becomes effective September 1.

Livingston cautioned that only persons whose birthday is in September need apply during that month.

Licenses of operators whose birthdays occur in months after September and before September, 1962, are automatically extended in effect until the last day of the licensee's month of birth and must be renewed during his birth month. Some licenses issued prior to September, 1962, will be for one year and some for two years, depending on the year of birth—odd or even. In 1961, licenses will be issued for two years to persons born in an odd year, and for one year to persons born in an even year.

In 1962, two-year licenses will be issued to persons born in an even year and one-year licenses if born in an odd year. After August, 1962, all renewals shall be for a period of two years.

Kenny McIntosh Is Home From Mexico

Kenneth McIntosh, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McIntosh of Pahokee returned home Wednesday from a six-weeks stay in Monterrey, Mexico, where he attended the second summer session at the University of Monterrey. After a visit of several days with his parents, Kenny will leave for Tallahassee to resume his studies at F. S. U.

Mr. and Mrs. James Weeks and family of Canal Point moved early this week to their recently purchased home on Green Star Avenue in Pahokee. They have been residing for several years in the Earl Wilson home.



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ABOUT 600 ACRES for sale, partly improved with poor road to it \$125 per acre. See, call or write, Bill J. Bailey or C. A. Bailey, Belle Glade, Fla., Phone WY 6-3084.

Bud Dickinson To Speak To FF&VA

The chairman of the Florida Council of 100—one of the state's most powerful advisory groups—will address convention-goers at the 18th annual gathering of the Florida Fruit & Vegetable Association at Bal Harbour, September 27, 28 and 29.



DICKINSON

After his May primary fight in the Governor's race, Dickinson directed the campaign in Florida for President Kennedy. In 1961 he became State Chairman of the American Cancer Society, Florida Cancer Crusade.

Born in West Palm Beach, Dickinson is married, father of four children, a civic leader, and is teacher of the largest Protestant adult Sunday School class in Palm Beach County.

He was graduated from Palm Beach High School and worked his way through the University of Florida and Stetson University. In his senior year at Stetson University, he was President of the student body.

During the war, he served in the Marine Corps from Guadalcanal to Okinawa and was cited for bravery in action by the Commanding General of the 6th Marine Division.

He has received the Allen Morris award as the outstanding first-term in the State Legislature. He has been a leading Senator on many progressive measures in Florida dealing with our courts, schools, roads, waterways, development of State pride, selling Florida, repeal of intangible tax and decentralization of government.

Dickinson was selected as one of the five outstanding young men of Florida in 1957 by the Jaycees and is the recipient of the Legion of Honor Order of DeMolay for excellence in government.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mason of Canal Point was the scene of a triple birthday celebration August 27 in honor of Mrs. Earl Wilson and her baby daughter, Nora Jill, also Mrs. Elmer Mason. Guests attending the anniversary dinner other than the honorees were Miss Saddle Wilson, Mr. Wilson and son, Alvin and daughter, Renee all of Miami, also Mr. Maxson.

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APARTMENTS are needed by many folks coming into this area to earn a living. Do you have one for rent? Tell them and the world through a \$1 classified ad in these columns. Send along a description of the apartment and a \$1 bill and we'll do the rest. The Everglades News, Canal Point, Fla.

FOR SALE: New and used Willys Jeeps. Walter Ashley's Garage in Belle Glade, Phone 3088.

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Veterans Loans Now Available

L. V. McClelland, Veterans Service Officer for the western half of Palm Beach County, announces that ample funds in the amount of \$4 million are now available for direct home loans to veterans, from the office of the V. A. Loan guaranty officer, P. O. Box, 505 Jacksonville 1, Florida.

There is a waiting list at the present time, and the maximum loan has been raised to \$15,000.00. Veterans should make application by letter to the loan guaranty officer who will send them the necessary application forms. When a veteran makes application, he should own a lot, or have a purchase contract for a lot, a set of blue prints for a home and be sure that he will be able to obtain a septic tank permit.

When a veteran receives the proper application forms from the V. A., he is given only a few weeks in which to return them to the V. A. along with a complete set of blue prints, a septic tank permit, a legal description of the lot. He should have a contractor in mind who will build his home and assist him in completing his application forms. He is also required to furnish proof that he has been turned down by three lending institutions for money at the rate of 5 1/2 percent interest. In other words, he is about ready to build, before making his application.

For further information contact the veterans service officer.

Board Of Health Workers To College

JACKSONVILLE—Forty-four young men and women soon leave the Florida State Board of Health to return to college, richer after a summer's practical experience in their chosen profession.

Before the present scholarship program was begun in 1953 by State Health Officer Dr. Wilson T. Sowder and his assistant, Dr. Albert V. Hardy who administers the training program, students were employed on a limited basis. Since 1958, 129 students have gained valuable lessons to aid them in their life's work.

Dr. Hardy said "There is no question but that in the main students' enjoy their work and learn much more than they expected. This is proved by the fact that many want to return."

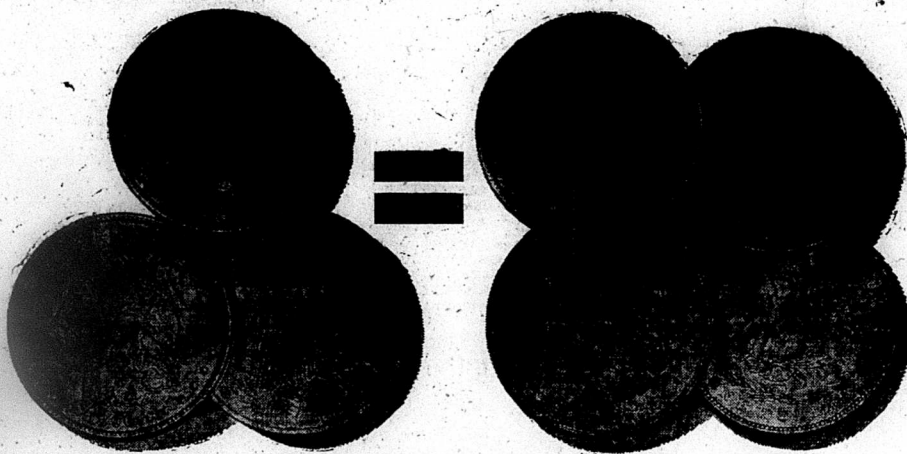
Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Shaver and daughters Donna and Cynthia of Montgomery, Ala., were the house guests several days last week of her aunt Mrs. Jessie Hughes of Bryant.

Mrs. J. D. Stacy Is Honored At Party

Mrs. J. D. Stacy of Bryant was honored Tuesday, August 29, with a surprise birthday dinner by her husband and children. Guests other than the family were Rev. E. L. Johns and family of Belle Glade, pastor of the Chosen Baptist Church also Rev. James Madison, house guest of the Johns family.

Miss Kay Hughes of Bryant has accepted a position as stenographer at the Florida Correctional Institution at Belle Glade.

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ber, the money you don't touch can't slip through your fingers.

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You save more than money. The Bonds you buy help keep the peace because peace costs money. Money for better education, new scientific research, greater military strength. And the money you save helps strengthen our nation's economy which depends on the financial strength of individuals to keep it sound.

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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Eddie Upthegrove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove of Canal Point, returned home Tuesday from Everglades Memorial Hospital where he had surgery on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Bolton Merriel of Dozier, Ala., were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hughes and family of Bryant. The two couples from Ala., were visiting other friends and relatives throughout the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carpenter of Pahokee accompanied by their two daughters and their families Mr. and Mrs. Vance Denton and children, Ellen Jo and Dannie of Pahokee and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bordan of Tallahassee spent the past weekend camping at the Highlands Hammock State Park, near Sebring.

Curtis Wonicker and his sister, Miss Marjory Wonicker of Jacksonville were the weekend house guests of Willie Veal and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Veal of Canal Point. The couple were enroute home from a vacation in Haiti.

George Smith of Canal Point is recuperating at his home following a weeks stay in the Everglades Memorial Hospital where he was treated for a back injury.

David Ramey left last week following a weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ramey of Pahokee for Canada where he will be the guest for the next week of Lt. S. Smith of Cincinnati, Ohio, after which time he will return to his studies at the University of Fla.

Horace Scruggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Scruggs of Canal Point, has been accepted by Lockheed Aircraft Corporation of Marietta, Georgia as an apprentice in the Tool and Die Department and will begin classes September 5. He has been visiting his brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Garrett in Atlanta for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mullis and young son Dannie of Cocoa were the weekend house guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stokes in Canal Point and also visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mullis in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Todd and daughter Melanie returned on Sunday to their home in Plant City after spending several days in Pahokee with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove and son Eddie of Canal Point spent last week vacationing at the McDonald's Cottages on Singer Island.

Eva Lea Riffey of Sebring spent last week in Canal Point as guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Butler and other relatives.

Tommie Mullin returned to Canal Point Tuesday from Michigan where he spent the Summer working in the vegetable fields. He has enrolled as a freshman in Palm Beach Junior College.

Mrs. George Ramey of Pahokee is spending this week visiting her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Hugh G. Miller, III in Rockledge.

Ron Ter Harr and Bob Cote of Pahokee are vacationing in Deland and Daytona Beach.

Mrs. Adaline Stuckey of Pahokee returned home Monday from a weekend visit with friends and relatives in West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Fred Brock and young son Billy of Norfolk, Va., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. C. Brown of Canal Point arrived here last Wednesday. Mrs. Brown has been the guest of her daughter and family for the past month. Mrs. Brock and baby plan to visit here for several weeks while her husband is working on a job away from their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox of Miami were the weekend guest of his brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Sims of Pahokee.

Mrs. Minter Collins, Mrs. Edna Pickett and Miss Julia Mathis all of Pahokee were weekend visitors in Orlando.

Priscilla King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald King of Pahokee returned home last Wednesday following a Summer vacation in Baltimore as guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Mae Royer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thomas of Pahokee spent the past weekend on Ft. Myers Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Davenport and children Debbie and Terri of Brandon spent several days last week in Pahokee as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McCoy and their three daughters, Tannie, Debbie and Jannie returned Saturday to their home in Canal Point from a two weeks visit with relatives in Bluefield, W. Va.

Mrs. J. A. Touchtone and daughter Miss Grace Touchtone of Bartow were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. M. F. George.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stalls of Miami returned home Wednesday afternoon after a three days visit with his sister, Mrs. M. F. George of Canal Point.

Rev. C. J. Smyly, Secretary of the Department of Training Unit for the Florida Baptist Convention, and former pastor of Canal Point Baptist Church, was a recent visitor of the Stewarts.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles D. Stewart of Canal Point had as their guests last Thursday afternoon his brother, Alex Stewart and his daughter, Margaret, also his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart of Albany, Georgia. They were enroute to West Palm Beach.

Warren Repper Has Drag Race Trophies

Warren Repper of Canal Point, a drag-racing enthusiast has ten trophies to show for his racing abilities in his "purple corvette racer."

For the past twelve weekends he drove his purple racer in the races in Miami, Ft. Myers and Davie and won ten trophies in the place wins. The state drag races will be held on the Buckingham Drag Racing Course in Ft. Myers and Warren plans to enter two racers in this event, his old stand-by the "Purple Corvette" and a new "White El Camino Chevrolet." Don Gist of the Coast is planning to race two of his cars in this contest.

Insurance Needs Will Be Studied

A county commission committee this week is slated to start studying the county's need for insurance on county rolling equipment. Commissioner Lake Lytal heads the committee which includes Commissioners Paul Rardin and E. F. Van Kessel, County Attorney Harry Johnston, D. Sanderson, purchasing agent and a representative from the county engineering department.



Supervisor Hears Atty. Gen. Ruling

An opinion from the State Attorney General has furnished a finale to an argument between the County Commission and the County Registrar over hiring of personnel for the latter's office.

Several weeks ago, Registrar Dan Gorham informed the commission he was hiring a "field investigator." At the same time Gorham sought to have the investigators job classification raised to allow a pay boost—a matter which he did not clear with the commission.

The commission, at that time gave strong indication it did not share Gorham's views on the matter and the county attorney was instructed to seek legal clarification of the matter from the State Attorney General. Gorham claimed when the commission approved his office budget, the board lost its voice in saying how the money should be spent.

The Attorney General said, that the commission should not only be responsible for setting compensation but should also have a voice in selection of the employees.

County Attorney Harry Johnston told the commission that in view of the opinion, the registrar is without authority to hire an investigator.

The commission voted to send Gorham full context of the Attorney General's opinion, plus other information in the file. The board also voted to advise the registrar that matters of this type should come to the attention of the commission before final action could be taken.

X-Ray Unit To Visit Palm Beach County

The mobile X-ray unit of the State Board of Health, being assigned to Palm Beach County for seven weeks, from September 1 through October 20, Emmett S. Roberts, President of the Palm Beach County Tuberculosis and Health Association announced today.

Free chest X-rays for the purpose of locating unsuspected tuberculosis, cancer, certain heart conditions and other abnormalities of the chest, will be available to all adults 18 years of age and over, through the cooperation of the County Health Department, State Board of Health, and the Tuberculosis and Health Association.

"This is a comparatively short time for the unit to be in this county. The association urges everyone to take advantage of this opportunity to check themselves. The earlier TB or any disease of the chest is found, the more successfully it can be treated," Mr. Roberts added.

Junior and Senior Womens Clubs, American Legion Auxiliaries, and the Woman's Civic Club are among the organizations supplying volunteers to work with the unit in the various areas.

The unit is scheduled to begin in Jupiter, September 1, from 10:00 to 1:00 and from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M. It will continue down the coast until the final week, when it will be in the Glades area.

Friday, October 13 Okeelanta Sugar Camp, 2 to 5 p. m.

Monday, October 16, Clewiston

B & B Supermarket, 10 to 1 p. m.

Tuesday, October 17, Belle Glade

Corner of Ave. "A" and Main St., 10 to 1 p. m. and 2 to 5 p. m.

Wednesday, October 18 Belle Glade

Loading Zone 1 to 4 p. m. and 5 to 8 p. m.

Thursday October 19, Pahokee

Corner of Lake Avenue and 1st Street, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 2 to 5 p. m.

Friday, October 20, Canal Point

Post Office, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 2 to 5 p. m.

Final reports revealed that the Canal Point Baptist Church enrolled 102 in the Vacation Bible School, which closed last week.

Boys Ranch Cottage Will Be Dedicated

LIVE OAK — A \$50,000 residence cottage, "home sweet home" for 20 boys at the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch, will be dedicated to the memory of the late F. L. McGehee, former Sheriff of Marion County, at 5 p. m., September 7.

The Ranch, located 11 miles north of here, is a home for needy and worthy boys operated by the Florida Sheriffs Association. Sheriff McGehee was one of its founders.

Levy County Sheriff James W. Turner, Sheriffs Association President, said a dedication address by Gov. Farris Bryant will be followed by a barbecue served on the banks of the Suwannee River, which borders the north side of the Ranch.

The program will be open to the public.

Sheriff McGehee was serving as first vice president of the Sheriffs Association when he died of a heart attack at his home, in Ocala, July 13, 1960. He was in line to serve as president during 1961.

An 18-year veteran in law enforcement, he was described in a tribute published by his fellow-sheriffs as a "progressive and highly capable" officer. He was voted his second four-year term as sheriff in the May primary elections of 1960.

Mrs. Jessie Hughes of Bryant had as her house guests several days last week, her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Shaver and daughters, Donna and Cynthia, of Montgomery, Alabama.

Revival Starts At First Baptist Church

Revival services will begin September 4 in Canal Point at the First Baptist Church and will continue for ten days. Rev. Charles Mask, pastor of the Parkway Baptist Church of West Hollywood will be the visiting preacher, and Clifford (Johnny) Johnson will direct the choir with Mrs. Betty Woods as pianist. Services will be held each evening at 7:30. The public is especially invited to attend the revival.

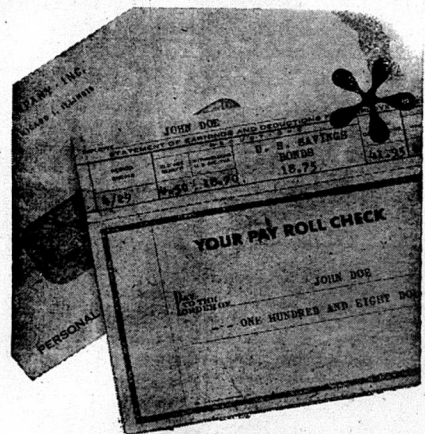
Poison Cases Are Up In Florida

JACKSONVILLE — A total of 1,694 persons were treated for accidental poisoning at Florida's 20 poison control centers from January 1 to June 30, 1961, the Florida State Board of Health reports.

The centers, located in hospitals, are equipped with comprehensive card files naming poisonous commercial products and plants with antidotes so that immediate treatment may be given.

The most common cause of poisoning was internal medication — 877 cases of which 295 involved aspirin. Insecticides accounted for 204 cases, cleaning and polishing agents 163; kerosene 126.

Frankie Garcia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Garcia of Tampa left last Sunday for his home after spending the past six weeks as guest of his grandparents, Mayor and Mrs. Duncan Padgett in Pahokee.



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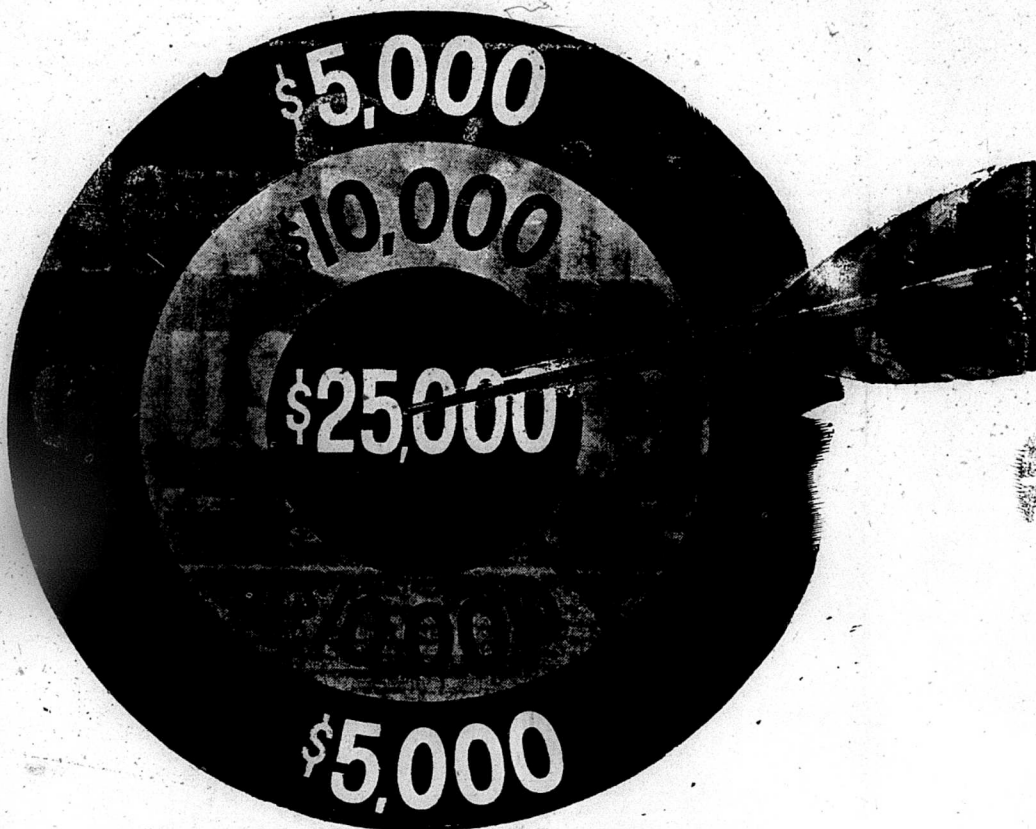
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First Methodist Church, Pahokee

Rev. T. C. O'Steen

SUNDAY:
8:45 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p. m.—MYF
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
7:00 p. m.—Vesper Choir practice
WEDNESDAY:
7:45 p. m.—Mid-week devotions
8:30 p. m.—Senior Choir practice.

Canal Point First Baptist Church

Elder R. E. Barfield

SUNDAY:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p. m.—B. T. C.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer Service
2nd and 4th **TUESDAYS:**
7:30 p. m.—Ladies Auxiliary Meeting.

Canal Point Baptist Church

Rev. Charles D. Stewart, Pastor

SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Training Union
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

The Pahokee Church Of The Nazarene

433 Bacom Point Rd.
Phone 7528 P. O. Box 882

SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship.
6:30 p. m.—Juniors
7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service.
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting.
"Where you are a stranger but once".

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p. m.—Training Union
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
8:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

The Church Of God Of Prophecy, Pahokee

Canal Point Road.

John H. Kinard, pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Preaching Service
7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p. m.—Tuesday—V. L. B.
8:00 p. m.—Thursday—W. M. B.
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The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

Robert A. Shelley, Pastor

SUNDAY:
10:00 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
MONDAY:
3:15 p. m.—Youth Choir practice
TUESDAY:
8:00 p. m.—Woman's Society 1st Tuesday
2nd **MONDAY:**
7:30 p. m.—Esther Class meeting
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Church Of God, Barfield Highway

Pahokee, Florida

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship
7:30 P. M.—Evangelistic Service
7:30 P. M. Tuesday—Prayer Meeting
7:30 P. M. Thursday—Y. P. E.

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church Pahokee

M. Wendell Haimin, vicar

SUNDAY:
10 a. m.—Sunday School
11 a. m.—Worship Service

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Father Francis Fennech, Pastor
Sunday Mass — 11:30 a. m.
Confessions before Mass.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Belle Glade

August Koerber, Pastor

601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade
SUNDAY:
Divine Services 11 A. M.
School 9:45 A. M.

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Young Women In Association Meet

The Young Women's Association of the Palm Lake Association met Monday 7:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church of Pahokee. Six churches were represented and banquet places were set for sixty-five young women and their leaders. Mrs. David Unwin was in charge of the banquet, and Mrs. Lee Shirley, Pahokee YWA Director, introduced Mrs. Irene Danner of Lake Worth, the Associational Director.

At the close of the banquet Mrs. Danner presided over the business and the following young ladies were installed as officers for the year 1961-62. Elaine Orr of West Palm Beach was inducted as president of the Associational Young Women's Association, installed with her were; Donna Sipes, West Palm Beach as vice president; Helen Grace of Lake Worth, secretary; Jean Wilburn of West Palm Beach, program chairman; Jean Wells of Lake Worth, stewardship chairman; Tina Harris West Palm Beach, Prayer Chairman; Janice Jones of West Palm Beach, Community Mission; Fatsy Keene of Pahokee, Pianist; Carol Cox, West Palm Beach choir leader; and Diane Raulerson of Lake Worth, as Historian.

Speaker for the evening was a missionary from Nigeria. The next Associational meeting will be held November in Lake Worth.

J. G. Weeks Named S. S. Superintendent

The Canal Point Baptist Church, upon the recommendation of the Church Nominating Committee, and with the consent of the nominees, elected J. G. Weeks to serve as Sunday School Superintendent, and Mrs. R. J. Maxson to serve as Training Union Director for 1961-1962.

Accidents Lower In First 6 Months

TALLAHASSEE — Industrial accidents in Florida dropped to 92,000 during the first six months of this year, or 3,000 lower than the comparable period for last year, but fatalities for each of the six months periods remained at 82. Workmen's Compensation claims received, January-June, 1961, 92,000; claims processed, 92,404; disabling, 25,853, nondisabling, 66,419, fatalities, 82. January-June, 1960, claims received, 95,000; claims processed, 99,595, disabling, 26,555; nondisabling, 72,958, fatalities, 82.

State Industrial Commission Chairman A. Worley Brown said the decrease in industrial accidents was 3.2 per cent, while the total nonfarm employment in the state was 1,320,000, January-June, 1961, as compared to 1,330,000, January-June, 1960; or a decrease of .8 per cent.

"Despite the fact that injuries dropped, due to the efforts of a limited field force of safety representatives, the number of injuries should show a further substantial decrease when the field force of safety representatives is increased," Brown pointed out.

He called upon management and labor to take advantage of the nationally recognized supervisor's safety course which is available free on request from the Commission's Department of Industrial Safety.

"Spirit Of The Lord" Is WSCS Subject

The Canal Point Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church meets Sept. 5, Tuesday, 8 p. m. in the old parsonage building. Mrs. W. K. Buchanan will present a program on "The Spirit of The Lord" and Mrs. J. H. Miller will be hostess.

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Q: How does the new $3\frac{3}{4}\%$ interest rate benefit me?

A: With Series E Bonds, the rate turns \$18.75 into \$25.00 fourteen months faster than the old rate. Your savings increase faster, because your Bonds mature in just 7 years, 9 months.

With Series H Bonds, the 10-year maturity period stays the same but more interest is paid you each six months. With both E and H Bonds the new rate works out to $2\frac{1}{4}\%$ for the first year and a half, then a guaranteed 4% each year to maturity.

Q: When did the new rate become effective?

A: June 1, 1959.

Q: Does the new rate change the Bonds I bought before June 1, 1959?

A: All older E and H Bonds pay more now—an extra $\frac{1}{4}\%$ from now on, when held to maturity. The increase takes effect in the first full interest period after June 1.

Q: Will the Bonds I own automatically earn their new rate?

A: Yes. You don't need to do a thing—just hold on to your Bonds.

Q: When my E Bonds mature, will they keep on earning interest?

A: Yes. An automatic 10-year extension privilege went into effect along with the new interest rate. This means your E Bonds will automatically keep earning interest after maturity.

Q: With the new interest rate, should I cash in my old Bonds and buy new ones?

A: No. The automatic $\frac{1}{4}\%$ increase makes it unnecessary—and in almost every case it is to your advantage to retain your present Bonds.

Q: How are series H Bonds different from series E Bonds?

A: The chief difference is this: You buy H Bonds at full face value and the interest is paid by Treasury

check every six months for the life of the Bond. You buy E Bonds at 75% of face value and the interest accumulates to maturity. H Bonds provide income for living expenses, while E Bonds build a nest egg for the future. That's why many retired people hold H Bonds and families saving for, say, a child's education, buy E Bonds.

Q: In what denominations can I buy series E and series H Bonds?

A: E Bonds: \$25 (cost \$18.75), \$50 (cost \$37.50), \$100 (cost \$75.00), \$200 (cost \$150.00), \$500 (cost \$375.00), \$1,000 (cost \$750.00), \$5,000 (cost \$3,750.00).

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Q: How safe are U.S. Savings Bonds?

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Q: Where can I buy Bonds?

A: Buy E Bonds at any bank—it takes only a few minutes. Buy them automatically through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work. This Plan means you can have any amount you name automatically deducted every payday. The Bonds you buy by installments are delivered to you automatically, too. Your bank will take your order for H Bonds.

Q: How do I help strengthen America's peace power when I buy U.S. Savings Bonds?

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See Florida This Summer

Birds Gather at Duck Rock-Travelers, Too



Tours from Everglades City and Miami are being sponsored again this year by the National Audubon Society. In a South Florida mangrove swamp (photo), at Duck Rock, or nearby Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary spoonbills and scores of other birds in their natural habitat may be seen from tour boats. Tiny Duck Rock serves as a rookery during four months of the year.

Duck Rock Is Home For Rare Birds

Duck Rock is strictly for the birds.

For here each year on a tiny three-acre island—15 miles south of Everglades City on Florida's extreme south Gulf coast—white ibis, herons, egrets, and spoonbills gather by the tens of thousands.

Duck Rock is a rookery—a breeding place for gregarious fowl. And every summer during June, July, August and September swarms of these shore birds sweep in for a stay at their swampy lodge. They come in endless flocks, winging in to roost in the mangrove trees after feeding in the surrounding shallows.

Fact is, tourists and visitors to Duck Rock—many of whom become enthusiastic bird watchers for the first time—are getting to be about as dependable as the swallows at Capistrano.

So many people are visiting the area, the National Audubon Society is sponsoring again this year its Duck Rock tours by boat to take sightseers, amateur photographers, ornithologists, or the just plain curious over for a first-hand looksee.

The entire Everglades region, with Duck Rock and a hundred other fascinating spots for the traveler, is one of the areas recommended by the Governor's Tourism Steering Committee and the Florida Development Commission.

Nearby is Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary—off the Immokalee-Naples highway from the Tamiami Trail—also operated by the National Audubon Society.

Well hit by Hurricane Donna last September and suffering damage especially to its giant trees, it had been feared that birds would shy away from Corkscrew. Not the case. Reports have it that the birds are returning in great numbers and for the early season are as plentiful as ever.

Starting June 24 and continuing through September 3, 1961, the National Audubon Society will operate one-day tours each Wednesday and Saturday to Duck Rock. This tour fee is \$16.50 per person from Miami and \$12 per person from Everglades City. Fee includes a picnic supper.

In addition, each Saturday and Sunday a two-day trip originates only in Miami and the fee is \$25 per person. This includes picnic supper and all transportation, but not overnight lodging or other meals.

Reservations should be made through National Audubon Society, 143 N. E. 3rd Ave., Miami 32, or by phone, Miami, Franklin 1-2595.

Apart from these, short boat tours are offered into the Everglades National Park from Everglades City and Chokoloskee at frequent intervals daily.

Actually, the Everglades—or Sea of Grass—is unlike any other area on earth. Everglades City near the intersection of highways 41 and 29 is the Western Water Gateway to 2,100 square miles of the Park.

In the Everglades is the southernmost point of the United States mainland. The Glades are the only subtropical area in the continental United States.

Within the Glades are a vast labyrinth of waterways well-used by outboards and some cabin craft. Here may be seen the unspoiled beauty of nature—fascinating animal and bird life, and for the angler some of the finest sport fishing in America.

Nearby are the Ten Thousand Islands. Island beaches are close at hand, offering superb swimming, surf fishing, and shelling.

In the Everglades are the villages of the Seminole Indians who played a colorful part in the history of Florida and have retained many of their customs of a hundred years ago. Air boat rides offer the unique experience of skimming over water only a few inches deep and reaching areas otherwise inaccessible.

In the immediate area around the Glades there are many side trips to points of interest—all within a short drive. Sixteen miles west of U. S. 41 is Royal Palm Hammock and the beautiful Collier-Seminole State Park, which offers free camping facilities.

On State Road 92 are the picturesque towns of Goodland and Marco, where fine accommodations are also available. North of Everglades City on State Road 29 is the town of Copeland. Starting at this village and driving west the visitor finds a new scenic drive. Deer and many species of birds and wild life may often be seen from the road.

East of Everglades City is the Village of Ochopee, which claims the smallest post office in the United States. The island town of Chokoloskee (causeway joins it now) is another favorite stopover.

Between LaBelle and Ochopee is Immokalee, major processing and shipping point for vegetables.

At the northern end of the Glades is Lake Okechobee, with an area of 740 square miles, drain-

ing the central ridge of Florida through the Kissimmee River system.

Huge levees and flood gates define the lower shores of the Lake which is famous for its bass fishing. Once a portion of the lake bottom, thousands of acres of incredibly rich muckland now bring multiple harvests of truck vegetables in a year.

Clewiston on U. S. 27 is on the south shore of the lake, marking the center of Florida's sugar industry. Free guided tours are offered.

Belle Glade, Pahokee, and Canal Point—U. S. 4441—are on the eastern shore of the Lake. A yacht basin is at Pahokee, serving boats crossing the state on the Intracoastal Waterway.

Highway 27 from Miami ends at Flamingo, a community within the area of the Everglades National Park.

The National Park includes parts of the Florida Keys.

Among the more than 230 varieties of birds found in the Park are bald eagles, herons, limpkins, and roseate spoonbills. Once ruthlessly slaughtered, the roseate spoonbills became nearly extinct. A few in the Everglades have been carefully protected and are now increasing in number.

The only wild crocodiles in the nation can be found in the Park and on a few of the Keys. Alligators, black bear, panthers, wildcats, otters, raccoons, and white tail deer still inhabit the area.

More than 600 varieties of fish abound in the waters of the Park. Seen all of Florida? Not before you've had a real good look at the Glades.

Visitors Return To Georgia Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Strahan and sons, Ronnie and Travis, are guests this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Thompson.

The Strahans have been vacationing in Nassau this past week. They will return to their home in Savannah, Ga., where Ronnie will enter E. C. Military School, and Travis will re-enter U. of Ga. Travis' schooling was broken by a tour with the Coast Guard.

Out of town guest here for the funeral of M. F. George were Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stalls, Miami; Frank George, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Stalls of Lake Placid; Mrs. Dough Clark and daughter, Lake Wales; Mrs. C. R. Wetherington, Sr., Fort Lauderdale; and Rev. Samuel Jordan, Hialeah.

Missionary Group In Regular Meet

The general meeting of the Womens Missionary Society of the Canal Point Baptist Church was held Monday 8 p. m. in the Church with the out-going president, Mrs. Charles Stewart presiding.

Mrs. J. H. Strayer, Sunbeam Leader, presented a most interesting program on "Focus on the Sunbeam Band". She was assisted by four children of her band, Terry Echols, Mack Wright, Lucky and Cindy Boltzer.

The report for the nominating committee was given by Mrs. Annie Jones the chairman. The following officers are to be installed at the September meeting: Mrs. J. D. Latham, president; Mrs. J. S. Atkins, vice president; and Mrs. S. A. Nall, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson and family of Miami, former residents of Canal Point are moving back to their home here this weekend. He is employed in the tractor shop of the U. S. Sugar Corp., at Bryant.

New Style Numbers Planned For Phones

All telephones installed in Belle Glade, South Bay, Bean City and Lake Harbor after September 1, 1961, will be assigned telephone numbers comprised of seven numerals and no Letters it was announced by Bob Lee, manager for Southern Bell Telephone Company here.

"Don't be surprised if information gives you a number of seven numerals", Lee said. "It may sound strange at first, but it's the new kind of numbers we'll all have in the future."

Meanwhile, if you call information for the number of anyone who has moved since September 1st, you may find they've been given a seven-digit number. This is one of the first steps locally in the change to "All Number Calling". This new numbering system will permit telephone service to keep pace with population growth and increasing telephone usage.

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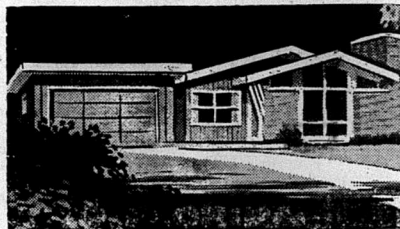
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